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We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the floral tributes and sympathy shown in our recent bereavement.—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fortier.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Josephine Branson, who died October 5, 1922.

One year has passed since that sad day, When one we loved was called away. God took her home, it was his will, But in our hearts she liveth still.

Inserted by husband and family.

A PECULIAR CHARGE

Acting on behalf of the widow and children of the late John R. Cowell, former clerk of the Alberta legislature whose death took place in Edmonton in April, the executors of the estate have filed a writ in the supreme court bringing action against the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in the sum of \$25,000. The plaintiffs alleged that it was as a result of food eaten in the defendant's restaurant in Vancouver that the late Mr. Cowell came to his death.

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LOCAL ITEMS

If you have any news item drop us a line or phone us the information.

Secretary-treasurer Flood, of the Municipal District of Royal, received from the Municipal Hall Board on Wednesday a cheque for \$25,776.00 the amount deducted from hail claims and paid on account of taxes to the municipality.

Mr. Bruce, provincial fire inspector, made an official visit to Vulcan last week, and his examination of the town was satisfactory. He inspected the new motor fire truck and expressed his approval. In a town like Vulcan, and any other, the greatest care should be given to fire prevention.

The offerings at the harvest festival services at St. Aldhelm's church on Sunday will be in aid of the building fund and to assist the congregation in their ambition to complete the church building, which has for some time been in the course of construction, and when finished will give a fine appearance to the excellent corner site on which it is located.

On October 5th the Women's Institute met with Mrs. Jennejohn. A large number of ladies were present, and important business was attended to. The ladies were favored with two solos, one by Miss Porter, accompanied by Mrs. Geddes on the piano, and one by Miss Norton, accompanied by Miss Pickard, which were very much appreciated. At the close of the meeting a dainty lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Jennejohn and Mrs. Simington.

Members of the Good Deeds Women's Institute entertained the members of neighbor institutes, at Vulcan, on Thursday last. Progressive games were played and some novel and interesting stunts were introduced. The prize was won by Mrs. Beaubier, who is a district and provincial official and who delivered a short address. Refreshments were served. It was just the kind of an event that was a pleasure to everybody, and a diversion from the labor so persistently pursued by the members of this worthy organization.

Gordon Andrews, aged fifteen years, helping father in the harvest, was this week the victim of a bad accident. He was hauling grain with a team and wagon, and was down off the load to open a gate, when the horses became frightened and bolted. The lad was knocked down and the rig passed over him, breaking one arm in two places and one leg between the knee and hip. It was a mishap with awful results, for with these bad breaks he has also cuts and bruises. It is a most distressing circumstance and surely general sympathy is with the boy.

Rockford has been awarded the senior championship of Alberta, upon the default of Edmonton in the semi-finals and of Medicine Hat in the finals. It would have been more satisfactory if the final game could have been played, but Medicine Hat refused to go to Calgary unless their expenses were guaranteed, and the baseball association refused to give any guarantee beyond a division of the gate receipts.

W. E. Talbot, who has served faithfully for the past eleven and a half years as Dominion Land Agent at Calgary, was retired from the civil service a fortnight ago, without any intimation as to the cause. A wire came from Ottawa an hour before the office closed and E. H. Crockett, the head of the office staff, was notified at the same time to take charge of the office. It seems a strange attitude for the Government to take with a trusted official and at least some reason should be advanced for the retirement.

Immense crops in the Vulcan district are so numerous that they are becoming common, but there is a satisfaction and a real advantage in the city daily papers continuing to carry the message of our grain greatness under big display headings. Besides those already mentioned in these columns, the following big yields have been reported: Dan Richmond, 70 bushels of wheat to the acre on 120 acres; R. B. Jamieson, 65½ bushels per acre on 148 acres; J. C. Graham, 61½ bushels to the acre on 180 acres; J. N. Jamieson, 57 bushels to the acre on an entire section; A. T. Martin, 59 bushels to the acre on 48 acres; Jack Williams, 100 bushels of oats per acre on stubble. There are many other records of a like kind which have not been definitely reported.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Errett King is spending a week or two in Calgary.

Mrs. W. C. Collier of Lethbridge spent a week in Vulcan visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Collier.

Special shipment of men's double sole Goodyear welt shoes, plain toes, ideal shoe for fall and winter, at Daines' shoe shop, Vulcan.

Tommy Brooks, one of our Vulcan district boys, has gone to Calgary to attend the Technical School, and will study engineering.

The foundation of the new skating rink was completed on Tuesday, and now every day in every way it is looking more and more like a rink and a big winter ahead.

Work has been commenced on the improvement of the premises that is to be the public park and playground. The building of the fence has been started, and the fence will be a neat one selected round posts and good wire being used. The ground will be prepared for tree planting and other improvements and when the time comes, the Women's Institute donation will be utilized in the purchase of park equipment. Considerable time has been taken on this proposition, but now we are well on the way to having a park.

The Women's Institute, like other organizations and most of our people are preparing to do their bit in boosting for the rink, and on Saturday, in the old Reeves store, will serve afternoon tea and will sell beans, doughnuts and pies. The building of the rink is adequately provided for, but then there is the equipment—heating, light and lockers, and many other conveniences that you will appreciate next winter. These, it would appear, can be procured by just such enterprise as demonstrated by the W.I. and the general patronage of the public.

The town council has made a grant of \$5.00 as a prize for the best essay on "Fire Prevention" by high school pupils, and it is expected that the school board will provide a similar amount as a prize for public school pupils. Mayor Butchart will give a second prize for the former, and the opportunity offers for some person to provide another second. This is "Fire Prevention Week" and the scholars are no doubt busy on their essays, which will later be judged by Fire Chief Smart of Calgary. Time was when the government provided prizes, but it is now up to the local authorities and the importance of the subject prompts them to continue the practice.

Mention was not made last week of the "Rally Day" services in the Union church on the previous Sunday morning. It was an event that surely merits mention, and was like interesting to the children and adults. The children marched from up town to the church. The regular rally day program was followed, the music being rendered by the junior choir and a vocal duet by the Misses Gardner. The readings were given by Misses Cook and Gardner, winners of the gold medals for public speaking at the school fair. Rev. Mr. Brunton delivered the address, which was particularly in reference to young people, and in it credit was given to the school fair as a community asset and an advantage to the children. It was a splendid service.

Claude Wendell Lyman, of Vulcan, a pupil of Alston school, aged 13, is this year the winner of one of the Governor-General's medals for efficiency in school work. This is truly an honor for which we should honor him, to himself, his school and his town a credit that is indeed highly creditable. Hail, the winner. He is the highest in all of the High River inspectors. His excellency, Lord Byng, Governor-General of Canada, has donated thirty-eight bronze medals for competition in connection with the recent public school leaving examinations. A medal is awarded to the candidate taking the highest average in each inspectorate as the honoraries existed at the opening of the fall term.

A new Dominion \$2 note has just been placed in circulation by the department of finance. On the face of the bill is a new steel engraved portrait of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales and the date of issue is June 23, 1923—the last birthday of the prince. The new note is of striking design, and is altogether one of the most artistic that has been issued by the department in recent years. The back carries an excellent engraving of the new coat-of-arms of the Dominion. The color printing on front and back is a pleasing shade of olive green. Two dollars is just the subscription price of The Advocate for a year, and the publishers would like to get hold of as many of these new bills as possible, but there is no objection to the good old kind. To the first person paying us a subscription with one of the Prince of Wales bills we will double the period of subscription.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Malloy, of Nanton were week-end visitors in Vulcan coming over by car.

Born, at the maternity hospital in Vulcan, on October 3, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schaub, of Lomond, a son.

Mrs. Louise McKinney, ex-M.L.A., will address the electors at Vulcan, on October 22nd, on the subject of the coming plebiscite.

Spooner's store window was very attractive for the past week. In it has been the plans for the new Vulcan skating rink, and of course it was attractive.

Several of the guests at the Masonic function in Vulcan on Tuesday were taken over by Mr. Flood to see the new rink. It looks good to us, and visitors praise the town for its enterprise.

The town debentures for skating rink construction will be issued in denominations of \$500 and sold to net the purchasers seven per cent. It looks well for Vulcan when the entire issue has been more than subscribed by local investors.

Misses Ethel and Ella Hoge received a phone message the other day from their brother at Granum, announcing his first time up after a long and serious illness. They were glad, and many friends will share their gladness.

Mr. J. T. Cooper, prominent citizen of Nanton, was in Vulcan on Wednesday, and was telling The Advocate man all about the swimming pool in his town, and mentioned the fact that it was a mighty popular place, besides being a paying proposition.

Announcement has been made that the Alberta musical festival will be held next year in Calgary, and it is suggested that it is not too early for intending competitors to start preparing for the event. This will be a reminder of the pleasant trip and excellent showing made by Vulcan junior choir at Lethbridge a year ago. With the festival at Calgary it will be possible for Vulcan choir to compete. What do you say? Now is the time to decide.

The two purposes of a country newspaper are to make money and to render service to its community says the Hanna Herald. We put making money first, because the paper which is not making money, or is not in good financial standing cannot be a strong factor for good. It is the duty of every business man and resident to lend support to his local newspaper. You, and your community will profit through having a financially strong paper in your district.

Vulcan banks are busy these days. Additions to the staffs have been necessary, and these have been F. B. Wetterberg to the Commerce, now with a total of seven, and Roy Jinks and J. Macdonald to the Hamilton where there are nine. Though amalgamation of these banks was announced some time ago, the local branches and branches elsewhere, are still operating separately, and the supposition is that they will continue to do so until the present rush of business is over.

When the forty or more lads from England arrived at Vulcan for the harvest, The Advocate mentioned that they were men of many vocations. In the lot has been discovered a swell singer and a daisy dancer, to use the language of the patrons of the picture house on Saturday night when Mr. J. Menon sang to their satisfaction and Mr. Ronald Barton danced to their delight. These boys have made good in "handing bouquets" as they call it in this country, and surely Alberta and Vulcan have a place for men of this talent. They intend to stay in Canada.

Referring to the suggestion made in certain quarters that the Canadian Pacific in distributing cars in Alberta has been giving preference to competitive points, Vice-president Coleman made the following statement: "My statement to the effect that we have been giving first consideration to competitive points is emphatically denied. We have not done so this year, nor in any previous year in my experience. In order that the public may have full information on this point we have worked out the details in the connection with loaded from the first of September to date at every station in the province of Alberta competitive and non competitive, the result is as follows: In that period of time there have been loaded at competitive points, 392 cars of grain, containing 602,922 bushels. In the same period there have been loaded at non competitive points, 7252 cars containing 11,614,861 bushels. For the purpose of this comparison we have listed as competitive points, not only towns actually served by the two railways, but any station located within ten miles of competitive line. These figures should be sufficient to dispose of this unfounded and most ungenerous charge."

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Collier of Carmangay is visiting in Vulcan, the guest of her son, Mr. J. Collier.

Mr. G. Wallace of Calgary, has been for some time the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Bennett, near Richmond school.

Mr. R. W. Hubbard, who resides not far out of town, was taken to Calgary this week for an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Addie Flood spent the week end in Calgary with Miss Elizabeth Flood and Miss Edna McFadden, who are attending college in the city.

The municipal council recently received from Edmonton the report of Sanitary Inspector Butterfield, who recently visited Vulcan. The town is reported as good.

The swimming pool at Nanton, run in conjunction with the Electric power house brought in \$53.75 for the first month of its operation. Monthly tickets of 25 were sold at \$1.00 and fifteen children's tickets for 50c.

The first mishap to occur right in town in connection with grain hauling this fall took place about a week ago, and mind you, there are hundreds of loads coming to Vulcan every day. In this case the front gear of the wagon came from under the box and a quantity of wheat was cast upon the ground, and this happened only a few rods from the elevator. What might have been a serious accident, happily did not so result.

The Vulcan Dramatic Society, which can best be termed an aid to community enterprise, secured highly gratifying response from the public when they presented "Penrod" in pictures for the benefit of the rink. Generous terms from the opera house management, a good picture, fine music and lots of it by Mrs. Geddes and Mr. Ober, made of the event a great success, and the result a splendid contribution of cash for rink equipment. It is good to have everybody working together for the benefit of the community.

Mr. Geo. McTaggart has contributed much to the success of the effort of the "Soldiers' Settlement Board in the finding of employment during the winter for the British harvesters who are in Alberta and desire to stay in Canada. It was a matter of getting jobs for the boys, and in this case George did it, for he has placed more men than any other so far reported to the board. His work in connection with the Soldiers' Settlement board has made him a busy man, and he has made good.

Writs for the plebiscite on the liquor question were issued on Tuesday to the fifty-two returning officers in the province, among them Mr. Geo. M. Whicher, who is officiating in the Little Bow electoral division. The day following the issue of the writs, the proclamations were printed at The Advocate and these will be the first to be posted in the province. Mr. Whicher also received the other day a shipment of boxes and bundles, supplies for the taking of the vote on November 5th, and the distribution of these and the appointment of enumerators, poll clerks and other sub-officers is giving him a busy time. Just in this connection let it be suggested that all who desire to vote and are entitled to do so should make sure that their names are placed on the list of voters.

Mr. R. J. Kennedy a traveller from Toronto, has had a bad experience in Vulcan. He came from the south and had three trunks left at his request on the depot platform so that they might be put on the early morning train for Calgary. When he went down to the train in the morning one of the trunks was missing, and this one contained two suits of clothing and other things. The circumstance was reported to Stationmaster Craig, who in turn reported by wire to the railway authorities at Calgary. By chance the agent at Ensign heard the message going through, and seeing a trunk at some distance from the depot, communicated the fact to Vulcan. Constable Davies and Mr. Kennedy went up to Ensign. It was the trunk all right, but the contents were gone. It is but a supposition, but it would appear that the thieves must have thrown the trunk onto a freight going through and hauled it off at Ensign, where a shovel was utilized to break open the lock. Every particle of the trunk trays and equipment was left undamaged, but wearing apparel to the value of a couple of hundred dollars was missing. Mr. Kennedy was naturally in an unpleasant mood over the matter, but he did not neglect the gentlemanly act of mentioning to The Advocate man his appreciation of the quick and willing service rendered by Mr. Craig and Constable Davies of Vulcan, and Mr. Southgate of Ensign. This kind of thing has not happened at Vulcan in eight years, and now there is no blame attached to the station staff, but it would have been better for Vulcan and everybody had it not occurred.

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VULCAN, ALBERTA

WEAR A POPPY

The Great War Veterans' Association of Canada (Inc.) have a clear conception of their duty in preserving the memory and records of those who suffered and died for the nation. There "Names liveth for Evermore" and the G. W. V. A. urges all citizens of this country to wear the poppy emblem on days set apart for commemoration of victories attained and peace gained by those who served in the Great War. Each branch of the Association should serve as a distributing centre and it is hoped that all public organizations possessing a patriotic spirit will co-operate in the National Campaign which forms part of a great international movement to-day. Profits, above cost price, derived from the Sale of Poppies will be retained by The local organization undertaking the work, for the alleviation of distress among the sick and needy who are in your midst.

THRASHING OPERATIONS

A motor trip through this part of the country at once and conclusively leads one to predict that thrashing will not be entirely completed before Christmas. Large areas of stocks are standing in all directions and the general business of thrashing is not progressing as fast as the owners of machines would wish. There is considerable trouble apparent with help and while some crews and machines are working steadily and consistently the great majority of them are experiencing difficulties of different kinds which is delaying the work. The stocks are heavy also which makes operations more difficult but the unrest and independence of the workers seems to be the main trouble. Five dollars is the offered price for help but six dollars is being paid in many instances in order to keep going. A continuance of the favorable weather which has been perfect for thrashing of late, will help materially in the general clean up and might forestall the possibility of some grains remaining in the stocks until next spring. More co-operation between workers and owners is what is now wanted to complete this crop before Christmas.

CONFISCATION OF LAND

In connection with the announcement two weeks ago that the provincial department of municipal affairs would defer action in taking possession of lands for arrears of taxes until December 1st, and was advising municipal councils to do the same, there is apparently a wrong impression existing that the government had passed an order extending the time for redemption of these lands. This is not the case. The government in respect of lands over which it has jurisdiction, is merely deferring action toward taking possession of the lands, until December 1st, and is recommending to municipal councils that they do likewise. Whether similar action is taken in the various municipalities, is entirely a matter for the municipal councils to decide.

Someone has suggested that the name of our province be changed as it smacks somewhat of German origin. The fact that the Prince of Wales has taken up a residence in the province is one reason advanced for a change.

Mrs. Frances Reeves, the Alberta author who is fast coming into the public eye, has written a novel which is entitled "Cattle". The plot of the story is laid around the E.P. ranch and will be sold in England about the time of the return of Lord Rutherford.

YOUR TURKEYS

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an interesting, practical, timely article on the preparations of our turkeys for the coming market which we advise all turkey growers to read. The feeding regulations are somewhat radical but are nevertheless very appropriate and will at least give hints for the proper care in this respect to obtain best results. Another point, not there dwelt upon, which we have previously advised, is the early preparation of the birds for market. One of the biggest sales periods in the larger cities of the States, New York, Chicago, etc., is the week previous to their Thanksgiving day held usually on November 25th. This is the big turkey-feast day in the States and the biggest prices are obtained for select birds during the week preceding this event. It was noticed last year that a great quantity of the local birds were shipped to these points but these shipments were not started here before December 5th and were made for the Christmas holidays trade and none were ready for the Thanksgiving trade at that proper time. We believe that a big and profitable business could be done at this time if the demand was anticipated by the growers and their birds in proper condition for delivery then. The later deliveries are faced with a sudden glutting of the market with a consequent lowering of the price due to a short period of selling which it would be well for raisers to avoid if possible. If arrangements could be made to have the birds in prime condition and ready for shippers about November 5th they could be put into the big consuming markets at the time to receive the highest prices, and their flocks could be at least partly marketed before the price-slump takes place. Community killings should be arranged for this early market and arrangements made for the birds to go forward immediately so that the best results would be obtained.

GRADE ALFALFA

From 7500 to 10,000 steers could be fed on the off-grade alfalfa which is available in Magrath and Coaldale districts during the finishing season, says the Lethbridge Herald, and the farming and business interests are now considering how the financing can be arranged.

Owing to the wet weather during the cutting of the first alfalfa there is about half of the 50,000 ton crop which is off color and will not make No. 1 commercial hay, especially in a season where there is a surplus of feed.

Any arrangements which may be made to keep this low grade alfalfa off the market will not only improve the prices on the remainder, but will get the farmers into the way of finishing steers and on the average year will make them some money and use up the roughage and coarse grains on the farms.

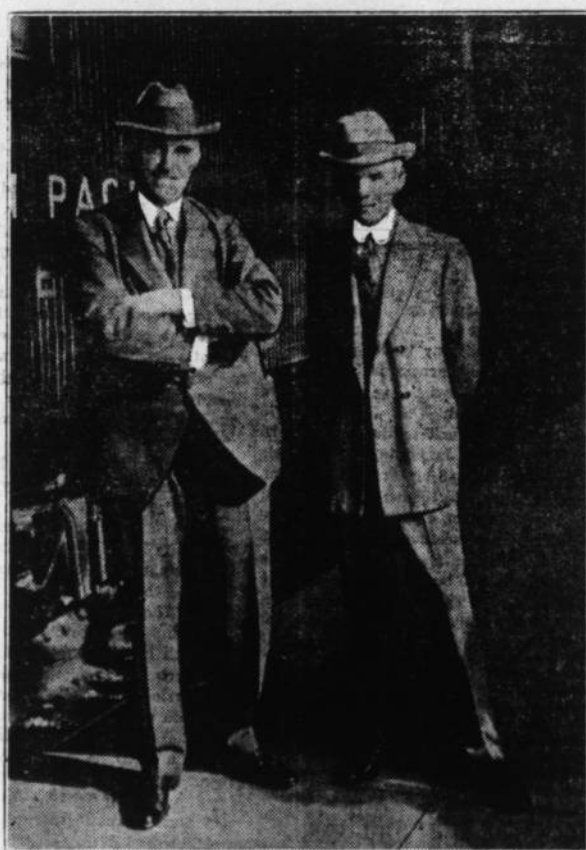
ON THE SAFE SIDE

President Coolidge would not take a prize in a beauty contest, and neither would Woodrow Wilson; but the latter's face does not hurt him, as the following limerick written by him indicates:

"For beauty I am not a star,
There are others more handsome
by far;
But my face—I don't mind it,
For I am behind it;
It's the people in front that I jar."

There are 37 pupils in attendance at the Vulcan High School and an increase is expected after thrashing season.

For U.S. President?



When Henry Ford was asked by Montreal reporters if he would run for President of the United States, he said, "I am not running for or against anything," but when asked if he would accept nomination if proposed, the motor car king replied: "No one knows what they will do from one day to another." Mr. Ford is here seen in conversation with Mr. Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, at Windsor Station, Montreal.

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EDITOR ADVOCATE.

Dear Sir:—Just a few lines in reference to the wheat pool. Jennie Cook's speech on the wheat pool provoked some hostile criticism. She was asked why her father did not sign up if the pool was what she represented it to be. When I took this illustration work from the government I was obliged to sign a contract that I would let the department have all the seed they wanted off the plots at 10c a bushel above market price. Now I make it clear to the wheat pool committee why I could not sign it, and I hope it will now be clear to all others. I don't think I can be accused of inconsistency, even if I heartily agree with all she said.

J. H. COOK

AN AUTOMOBILE COLT

An old resident of Alaska had never seen a motor car. One day he was astonished to see one go by, but was dumfounded when it was followed by a motorcycle.

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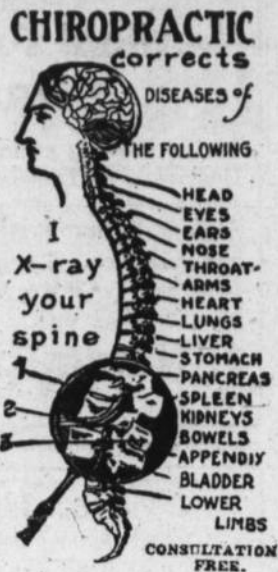
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GRAND TRUNK DEAL

Canada Lost Heavily by Reason of the Bargain Entered into with G.T.R. Co.—They are Still Losing

The following article from the Kinardine Review has reference to the much discussed Grand Trunk deal and shows that Canada has acted honestly and above board with the shareholders: "Hon. P. C. Larkin has no right to suggest that Canada may do more for the Grand Trunk shareholders than she has already done. He has no right to lead shareholders in England to expect Canada to deal 'generously' with them if the revenues continue to improve. Canada lost heavily—as did they—by reason of the bargain entered into by the G.T.R. Co. and the Canadian government when the Grand Trunk Pacific and the National Transcontinental were launched. The company defaulted in its interest payments and Canada had to come to the rescue. The road went into a receivership and Canada took it over under the terms reached by a tribunal in which the shareholders were represented by ex-President Taft of the United States. We have been losing money ever since making up the deficits from the National treasury. This condition will continue for some years yet. In England ever since, the shareholders—or at least some of them—have been conducting a campaign of propaganda with a view to better times. Their campaign has been conducted in prominent financial papers in England and in interviews appearing in daily newspapers. They have not hesitated to charge Canada with breach of faith and the government with possessing traits of Shylock. There was not even one tittle of evidence produced—nor can there be—that Canada treated the Grand Trunk Co. otherwise than honestly. It could be much more easily proven that they were treated generously. Mr. Larkin has no right to lend Canadian countenance to any such tactics. He has no right to promise something which fulfilled will convict Canada of the charges made by the propagandists. Any complaints the shareholders have should be addressed to themselves and their directors who entered into the bargain that brought the old Grand Trunk into trouble. That bargain was ruinous but the company gained more by abandoning it than if it had attempted to carry it on. That burden has fallen upon Canada under conditions assented to by the directors and shareholders of the company and it is neither fair nor sportsmanlike to assail Canada's faith and honor as their propagandists have been doing ever since in English prints."

ROUP IN TURKEYS

Article Written by J.R. Higgins Which Should be Read by all Those Interested in Raising Turkeys

Now that fall is here with its frosty nights and several cold rains, breeders may expect to encounter touches of cold among their turkeys which, if not observed and promptly attended to, will develop into roup with serious results. Next to blackhead, roup is probably more troublesome than any other disease of turkeys. It is particularly likely to occur when the birds are exposed to drafts and dampness or inadequate ventilation in the roosting quarters. Turkeys should not be closely confined in a poorly ventilated house which becomes overly damp from the moisture given off in large quantities from the lungs. The turkey is essentially a cold weather bird and does not require an elaborate abode. Satisfactory roosting quarters may be located in an open shed protected from the wind. Do not allow the turkeys and farm yard fowl to roost together. They do not make a desirable combination. An unused granary often makes a splendid turkey house. The entire end should be knocked out and cheese cloth or ordinary sugar sacking substituted; in other words use thin cotton sufficient to break the wind and which will provide an abundance of fresh air. The old saying that "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" should ever be borne in mind in dealing with roup. In order to further guard against the disease, you would be well advised to purchase a few cents worth of potassium permanganate from your local druggist which comes in the form of small, purple crystals. A few crystals added to the drinking water, sufficient to make it a rich wine color, serves as a good disinfectant. Always be on the lookout for "dirty noses." Should you discover any individuals with colds, isolate immediately and wash out the nostrils and mouth with a solution of potassium permanganate. Roup is highly contagious and spreads rapidly, hence the necessity of prompt action. If the disease has reached the advanced stage and a swelling occurs about the eyes, usually below, the only remaining course to follow is to lance the swelling, squeeze out the pus and wash with a good antiseptic such as commercial coal tar dips. Often this effects a satisfactory cure. If the disease is very bad and does not yield readily to treatment, the bird should be killed rather than run the risk of spreading the disease.

BIG SALE NOW ON

Live Stock Show Opened at Calgary Stock Yards on Wednesday. The First of its Kind Held

An event of very great importance to the live stock industry of this province is the holding of a stocker and feeder show at Calgary this week, commencing on Thursday and lasting until Friday night. Many carloads from various points of the province have been received at the stock yards and of a quality that is very satisfactory. The largest exhibitors, as we go to press, are F. V. Bemis of the Round T Ranch, with 319 head which are grade shorthorns of very excellent quality, and J.M. Dillon of the "M. L." or old Ings ranch who has 224 very choice two-year-old and yearling steers, which are for the most part Hereford grades with a carload or two of very good grade shorthorns. Nanton and Okotoks stockmen have also exhibits, while many carloads came in from the north. This is the first strictly feeder and stocker sale that has been held in the west and everything will be put up for sale. There are buyers from the old country as well as from the U.S. who are prepared to buy. Judging of cattle started Wednesday and in our next issue we will announce the winners. Co-operative selling will be one of the features of the show that last two days, and this exhibition of feeders is expected to give the best opportunity for buyers of this class to look over cattle that has ever been presented in Calgary. Formerly this class of cattle has been largely going to the packing houses and those owning feeders which they desired to sell were not in close touch with buyers. The present show is expected to provide an excellent opportunity of getting growers and buyers together.

SHOOTING SEASON

Prairie Chicken Season Opens on 15th And will Give Opportunity to Local Sportsmen

The shooting season will be completely opened on Monday, the 15th. Inst. when the season for prairie chicken is also ushered in for a limit of fifteen days or until the first of November. It is noticed by the different enthusiasts of the town that partridges are very scarce in some localities while in others they are quite numerous. In the hilled districts they are thinned out and one walks a long distance before running on a covey and when he does come across one they are small in numbers. The limit has been taken in a few instances where favorable grounds were covered but the general rule so far is that small bags have been the result of the hunt. The scent is not the best right now for the dog owing to the lack of moisture and a little rain or snow would help materially in this regard. It is reported that the chicken are quite numerous again in the foothills but this will be more fully authenticated within the next few days when trials on these will have been made. Duck shooting seems to have relaxed somewhat of late. No wonderful killings on these have as yet been reported and many of the nimrods are awaiting the coming of the northern birds before entering actively into this bit of sport again. These birds have not been noticed in numbers so far and the bags have been limited practically to the local birds up to this time. They should be on their way south now at any time when the shooting on these will improve. Geese are quite numerous on the big lake but no bags of these are as yet reported.

YIELDS IN ALBERTA

About 200,000,000 Bushels of Wheat Will be Harvested This Year of Big Yields

Some time ago George Lane predicted that Alberta would have a wheat crop of 150,000,000 and his estimate was considered high by some people. With the threshing season well started it is very evident that he was too conservative in his estimate. He now thinks it will go over the 200,000,000 mark. This year's crop is undoubtedly the heaviest and best crop ever harvested in Alberta. In the Cluny and Strathmore districts the yields will be about 35 bushels per acre and much better yields were being obtained at Blackie, Brant, Vulcan and Cayley. The crop is so heavy and threshing help so independent, it is feared that there will be considerable threshing to be next April or May. Threshing outfits are up against the problem of inexperienced help who are not averse to asking from \$5.50 to \$6 per day. Some of these men do the work in a most careless manner and in some cases drop their fork into the machine with the sheaves. He told of offering a couple of engineers \$12 per day in Calgary and they did not accept the job. With regard to the cattle situation Mr. Lane said that he blamed the financial institutions and some of the banks for forcing growers some time ago to sacrifice their animals. At the present time there was not nearly enough young stock to consume the feed that would be available. What stock was left, however, should do remarkably well, and there would undoubtedly be a good demand for feeding steers of beef strain weighing from 900 to 1000 pounds.

TURKEY GROWERS

J. R. Higgins of Poultry Division of Government Gives Suggestions Re Fattening Turkeys

In preparation for the annual community killing and marketing of turkeys it behooves the turkey grower to benefit by past experiences, avoid falling into the old ruts and as a result put up a higher grade product than in former years, which in itself would be a fitting advertisement for the infant turkey industry in Alberta.

The report on the co-operative shipments to the east last fall, while not altogether unfavorable, intimated that many of the turkeys were underfed and inclined to be sinewy, which, of course, is the result of open range, without sufficient fattening foods. In general there is a keen demand for high grade turkeys to supply the special holiday trade, while the lower grades find little favor among prospective customers and area drug on the market. The retailers report that they pay a premium on heavy turkeys, cut the prices on light turkeys and charge customers accordingly.

Now is the proper time to commence to get turkeys in shape for market. A good practice in fattening is to begin feeding for this purpose at night and morning about October 1. At first the feeds should be light, so that the birds will go away a little hungry, otherwise the feeding is likely to cause scours or bowel troubles. As they become used to the feed the amount can be gradually increased until during the week previous to sending them to market they can be given all they will eat up, three times a day.

Opinions differ as to the advisability of restricting the turkey range during the fattening period. However, turkeys may be confined to runs and fattened to advantage provided they have sufficient space for exercise.

The ideal fattening ration is composed of finely ground grain mixed with buttermilk or sour skim milk to a consistency of porridge. The ground grains are more palatable and are digested and assimilated rapidly and in large quantities.

In case grinding of grains is not practical it might be advisable to cook the food in order to improve palatability.

It is difficult to outline a definite fattening ration that may be used by turkey growers as the problem usually resolves itself down to the grains grown on the individual farms that are available for feeding purposes. However the following ration may be used to good advantage:

Three parts ground barley, 3 parts ground wheat, 2 parts ground oats, 2 parts meat scraps, by weight, moistened with milk.

Corn either ground or cracked, is invaluable in a fattening ration. Boiled potatoes serve as a variety and produce fine white flesh. Feed plenty of it, if available, in clean drinking vessels. It is a good idea to supply plenty of gravel for the turkeys to pick up as it aids digestion and keeps the birds in good condition.

Putting the finishing touches on the product, whether it be beef cattle or turkeys, is one of the best paying investments on the farm today. So don't fail to have turkeys in prime shape for the forthcoming community turkey kills.

GEORGE LANE STORIES

From the Vancouver Sun. Lord Renfrew has millions of friends around this old world, but he has only one neighbor like George Lane.

Lane is a rancher in Alberta, a typically western character, bluff, good natured and afraid of nothing, and so on. He sold a portion of his many acres of ranchland to the Prince of Wales several years ago and the latter, now visiting his stock ranch, finds Lane's company refreshingly diverting.

Some years ago Sir Wilfrid Laurier, then prime minister, asked Lane to visit Ottawa to discuss certain matters regarding immigration and cattle ranching. The westerner made several calls, but found Sir Wilfrid and his cabinet invariably in session. Finally, unable to keep his patience longer, he walked into the middle of a cabinet session and announced: "I am George Lane from Alberta. You sent for me. My time is very valuable; I want to get away from here and if you want to talk with me, here I am now."

He proceeded to have his discussion there and then. When one of the ministers asked a question, Lane protested, "There you go interrupting again. I will talk to Laurier and no one else."

But that incident receded into insignificance in comparison with the latest anecdote told of him.

He was going the rounds with the youthful heir apparent the other day, making him acquainted in the prairie district. Lane was conducting Lord Renfrew in the direction of the mayor of the little town in which they were visiting. Something retarded their progress down the street, and Lane turned to his royal neighbor and said, "Come along, son, this is the mayor!"

Councillor James Turner of Dinton municipality was taken to High River hospital on Monday last suffering from a ruptured appendix. An operation immediately followed and we are glad to say that Mr. Turner is convalescing and responding rapidly to medical and hospital treatment.

AUCTION SALE

Ray Hornberger

Having decided to largely curtail the extent of his farming operations, has instructed the undersigned auctioneer to conduct an unreserved auction sale of the property listed below, the sale to be held on the premises—

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MILO NEWS

The annual school fair of the Marquis municipality was held on Friday Sept. 28th. Mr. and Mrs. Bechner of Lake McGregor, the genial and hard working secretaries, had everything arranged in first class shape and just credit is due them for the interest which they take in the Marquis fair. The judges expressed themselves as being entirely satisfied with the arrangement and the showing made, saying that considering the majority of the teachers had just taken over the schools the results obtained were highly creditable. The exhibits were good but not so numerous as in previous years, competition being poor in several of the classes, especially in grains livestock and weeds. It seems astonishing that in a country where agriculture is predominant as a means of livelihood there should be so little interest taken in showing the best results which can be obtained with the very things which in the case of grain and livestock go to raise the standard of agriculture. The garden produce was splendid, both in variety and quality, showing that with a little moisture Alberta can grow anything in this line. The final results, including the shield award, have not been received yet, but we noticed that Berrywater won quite a few prizes in school work, art and drill and woodwork; Kirkdale took first for the collection of insects; Pioneer and Rocky Butte carried off the honors for garden produce; Lake McGregor, Eastway, Kirkdale, in livestock and poultry; the consolidated school led in the sports.

So endless what is a red letter day in the rural school year for the children and probably in a different sense a red letter day for the teachers. Not only is the competition and seeing what other schools can do in the way of work and sport helpful but it adds a little variety and zest to the otherwise rather hum-drum existence of rural children. Town schools have interscholastic games, hockey, baseball and skating, probably with a circus and movies, boy scout and camping thrown in. The country children's life is school and chores plus perhaps an occasional picnic or circus. So back up your school fair and keep interest in your school.

BRANT NEWS

Mrs. Thoms visited her sister Mrs. Neal McColman the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Prater and children were High River visitors on Monday afternoon.

Roy Jinks of the staff of the Bank of Hamilton at Vulcan was a Sunday visitor in Brant.

Mr. G. B. Wilson was out from High River on Monday looking after his threshing crew.

Miss Pauline Mills was taken to the Blackie sub-hospital one day last week quite ill with what is called summer flu.

Quite a number of the Brant young folks attended the dance given by the Banff orchestra on Wednesday, October 4th.

Mr. John Eversman who is helping the Brant neighbors get their threshing done spent Sunday with his wife in Calgary.

A pinch of salt added to coffee before it begins to percolate will give a delicious flavor and prevent the cheapest coffee from tasting bitter.

Brant school is under quarantine on account of scarlet fever making its appearance in Brant. Dorothy Johns is quite sick with it and Dr. Buswell was called Sunday afternoon.

The G. B. Wilson threshing machine set fire to a big straw pile Friday evening on the J. S. Hunt place just south of town, and for awhile it looked as if it would get beyond control of the crew who for once in their lives got a move on and back-fired, thus all the damage done was the burning of a big straw pile.

REID HILL NEWS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Warden, on Sunday, 7th October, a son.

The many friends of Mrs. Stewart will be glad to learn of her health being so far recovered as for her to contemplate moving to the home farm at Delburne in the next few days. Her daughters, Mrs. H. Cleaver of Vancouver, Mrs. Brennan of San Francisco and Mrs. McWeave of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. R. McLelland of Swan River, Manitoba, have now been enabled to return home.

Mrs. Stewart desires us to thank all those friends who showed so much kindness to her during her sickness, also the Ladies' Aid of the Reid Hill church for the plant they sent her.

An old-timer of Reid Hill, Mr. Wyatt, is back for a brief visit among old friends and acquaintances and looking after his interests here.

EASTWAY NEWS

I wonder who it was that had the blow outs coming home from town and had to continue on the rim.

A number of ladies from Eastway motored out to Milo to attend the school fair. They reported it a great success.

Mr. H. Wenger, manager of the Eastway store, wears a broad smile these days, so we perceive that he is doing a good business.

The Marshall threshing outfit is threshing at J. B. Marshall's this week and if the weather continues favorably they will be through soon.

Mrs. Lent is at the present time cooking for Mr. Motter out near Ensign on his threshing outfit, and will be there for sometime yet.

The Eastway Women's Institute which was organized, on June 28th is flourishing. It has fourteen paid-up members, the officers being, Mrs. M. P. Marshall, president; Mrs. W. N. Marshall, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Lent and Mrs. J. B. Marshall, vice-presidents. They meet every two weeks at one of the members' homes and at present are as busy as bees making squares for a crazy quilt which will be completed on October 11th at the home of Mrs. M. P. Marshall and raffled off in the near future.

On Thursday, September 27th a meeting was held at the home of Mrs. George Ryan, ten members being present. The president was in the chair and as it was impossible for Mrs. W. Marshall to be present, Mrs. Amey acted as secretary. The meeting opened by reciting the Creed, then the song, "Pack up your Troubles", after the Roll Call had been responded to, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. A letter from the Conventor and a program of the convention, October 17th, was read, then followed a discussion as to which subject would be best for a General Demonstration and finally it was moved by Mrs. Marshall and seconded by Mrs. Bice that millinery be taken up. The money for the quilt tickets sold was then handed in, amounting to \$12.50. Mrs. Marshall was asked to purchase lining, batting, and thread for the quilt. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. M. P. Marshall's, members kindly invited to lunch. Community singing was then enjoyed. Afterwards a nice lunch was served by the hostess. A motion to adjourn was then made by Mrs. Amey and seconded by Mrs. H. Wenger. The meeting then closed by singing "Clementine."

Mrs. Frances Reeves, the Alberta author who is fast coming into the public eye, has written a novel which is entitled "Cattle". The plot of the story is laid around the E.P. ranch and will be sold in England about the time of the return of Lord Renfrew.

When in Vulcan last week we were privileged to examine the plans and drawings of the proposed skating rink which is now under course of construction. Citizens of Vulcan are to be commended upon their enterprise in going ahead with this project.

ALBERTA BULLETIN

Issued by Publicity Commissioner of Alberta

Alberta's first stocker and feeder show and sale opens next Tuesday morning at the stock yards at Calgary and it is anticipated that it will have considerable success.

Shipment of Instructions to Returning Officers in preparation for the plebiscite on the liquor question on November 5, was practically completed this week by John D. Hunt, Clerk of the Executive Council.

President Beatty of the C. P. R., during a visit to Lethbridge the past week, announced definitely the intention of the company to construct the proposed branch line across from Kipp to the Little Bow to connect with the Lomond-Suffield line. This new branch will traverse a large part of the country covered by the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District, which is now being colonized.

Assembling of grain exhibits from farmers of the province, who intend to enter at the International Hay and Grain Show in Chicago in December, will commence shortly. There will be three assembling points, at the schools of agriculture at Claresholm and Olds and the University at Edmonton. From these assembling points the provincial Department of Agriculture is arranging to pay the freight on exhibits to Chicago.

Amusement tax receipts are this year considerably in advance of last year. From January 1st to the end of September in 1922 the government share of amusement revenue was \$126,771.75. This year the figures will be in the vicinity of \$143,800. For this period last year Calgary's returns were \$47,579.50, this year \$36,444.10 in 1922 and \$49,608.80 this year. The total revenue to the government from this tax in 1922 was \$183,933.61.

Indications of a considerable increase in the number of threshing machines being used this season in the province in comparison with last year, is given in the number of threshers receiving licenses. To date approximately 4,000 licenses have been issued in comparison with 3,700 last year, and registrations are still coming in. Owners of separators who have not yet registered are urged to send in their registration fee of \$1.00 as soon as possible. They are also asked to forward their returns of threshing as soon as completed.

As a result of the co-operative marketing service and seed grain cleaning plant established last year by the provincial Department of Agriculture a very keen interest has been developed in Alberta's seed wheat in eastern Canada and the United States. More than 600 prospective buyers of this seed grain are now on the lists of the Department, and enquiries concerning the seed are being received every day.

Some of the recent enquiries come from Minnesota, Iowa, South Dakota and North Dakota. An interesting experiment is being conducted in South Dakota between Marquis and Ruby wheat on the points of comparative resistance to rust, maturity and yield. Shipments of seed grain from inspected fields will commence arriving at the provincial plant at Edmonton shortly for cleaning. Applications from seed growers to send seed to the plant are now being received until October 12, after which applications will not be received, if the limit of the capacity of the plant has been reached.

THIRTEEN CARS OF FEEDERS

Mr. F. V. Bennis of the Round T Ranch returned from the Bessano ranch on Monday where he superintended the gathering of thirteen cars of Shorthorn yearlings and two-year-olds from the range which were shipped to Calgary for entry into the Stocker and Feeder sale which is in progress to-day at Calgary. The cattle are in A1 condition and the feeders who secure them will find they will quickly respond to good feeding and will put on fat very readily. The idea of holding a stocker and feeder sale is a good one as it is a logical development of the industry to raise these feeders on the range and for farmers to secure as many as they want to feed them the surplus straw and grain they now have on their farms.

Howard Birch, a Staveland farmer, committed suicide at his farm on Monday by shooting himself with a .22 rifle. He left a note stating that he intended to kill himself.

G. G. Coote, M. P., at Cayley, is getting the biggest yield we have heard of so far. From one field of 25 acres he got 1835 bushels, which makes an average of 73 and two-fifths bushels an acre from that field, and his whole crop is averaging more than 60 bushels. He has not finished threshing yet, so the average for his whole place cannot be given. Mr. Coote goes in for Red Bobs exclusively.

Russia will have for export this year from 1,800,000 to 2,500,000 tons of grain, according to an estimate made by L. D. Wilgrass, Dominion trade commissioner, at Hamburg, in an article in the Commercial Intelligence Journal. There are 160,288,000 acres under crop this year, an increase of 17 per cent. over 1922, and of the last year's crop there was 600,000 tons exported. This crop is not a heavy one, the estimate in August being an average of a little over 10 bushels of wheat to the acre.

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Here and There

Protection of migratory birds has been added to the duties of the Canadian Pacific Railway's constabulary.

Airplanes attached to the Ontario Forestry Department are now equipped with radio sending apparatus so that they can keep in constant touch with the chief and other rangers.

There was an increase of sixty-three per cent in the number of immigrants to Canada during the last three months as compared with the corresponding period of last year.

Canadian Pacific agents in Britain recruited nearly five thousand men for work in the harvest fields of Western Canada and, through lack of steamship accommodation closed their doors on as many more who, attracted by the special harvest rate, sought to enter Canada.

The branch lines program of the Canadian Pacific Railway carried out this year will bring into operation on the prairies a larger mileage than any one year since 1914. Of the 431 miles of line under construction, 281 miles will be ready for handling grain in the Fall, and of the balance, 115 miles will be ready for steel by the winter freeze-up.

A building has been acquired by the University of Toronto to be entirely devoted to the manufacture of insulin. This will be the only factory in Canada to manufacture the curative fluid in commercial quantities and, although it is manufactured in the United States, Great Britain and Denmark, the Canadian product will be sold throughout the world.

Dawson City recently celebrated the twenty-seventh anniversary of the discovery of the Klondyke. In an exhibition of Yukon products cabbages 16 inches in diameter and weighing thirty pounds, potatoes as big as a man's head, pumpkins as big as watermelons, wheat, oats and barley bore witness to the fertility of the Yukon soil. Side by side with these ranged gold nuggets, gold dust and silver bars.

Dr. James Inches, Commissioner of Police, Detroit, and a guest at the Canadian Pacific Bungalow Camp at Nipigon, holds the record for the biggest speckled trout caught in the Nipigon River this season, having captured a fish weighing 7½ pounds. This catch was above the average, but a large number of six pounders have been taken from the Nipigon this season. Several years ago, and from practically the same place, Dr. J. W. Cook, of Fort William, caught the world's record speckled trout, which weighed fourteen and one-half pounds, and was more than two and a half feet long.

A record was established recently when one of the latest type of Canadian Pacific locomotives drew a train of 42 cars of newsprint, weighing more than 1,100 tons, from the plant of the Abitibi Pulp and Paper Company, North Bay, to Toronto, without mishap. Ordinarily, it would have taken two passenger engines to haul such a load for the 320 miles. After proving its worth by this feat the huge engine, together with an all steel train consisting of the latest model tourist, dining and sleeping cars, and a baggage and compartment car, formed part of the Canadian Pacific exhibit at the National Exhibition at Toronto.

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MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 23rd November, 1923, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for a period not exceeding four years 6 times per week on the route Vulcan and Railway Station (Can. Pac.) from the Postmaster General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms (To tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Vulcan and at the office of the District Superintendent of Postal Service. District Superintendent's Office, Calgary, 10th October, 1923.

D. A. BRUCE, District Superintendent of Postal Service.

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ADVERTISEMENTS—For this column at 50c. for the first time, and 25c. for each time afterwards.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

ENGINE—Rumley Steam Engine, 30 horse power, carrying 175 lbs. pressure, in good condition. Will sell or trade. E. M. Hollister, Phone 3001, Vulcan. Aug15/23

FOR RENT

HOUSE—Nice four-room House, newly decorated inside and out, in Vulcan. Geo. Staples, Vulcan. Oct10/23

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ESTRAY

HORSE—Bay Gelding, six years old, weighs about 1200 lbs., branded EU on right shoulder. Has been missing since about June first. Reward for return of animal or information leading to recovery. Address Vulcan Advocate, or Phone 36, Vulcan. Sept19/23

GELDING—One bay gelding, branded RS on left shoulder. Has been estray since April. Send information of whereabouts to the owner, R. Sharpe, High River P. O., or to The Advocate, Vulcan. Aug8/23

FOR SALE

AUTOMOBILE—McLaughlin Car, six cylinder. Apply to George Ecker, Vulcan. Oct10/23

HOUSE—Four-roomed House, with two lots, in Vulcan. Will sell cheap for quick sale. Apply Mrs. M. E. Myers, Vulcan. Oct10/23

TOWN PROPERTY—Six room House, with barn about 18x22, and well, on four acres, in town in south end. J. A. Gardner, Phone 31, Vulcan. Oct10/23

CAR AND TRACTOR—One 12-24 Case Tractor, also Overland Towing Car, 1916 model. Apply Canadian Bank of Commerce, Vulcan. Oct3/23

TOWN PROPERTY—Six room House, with bath, on two lots; garage, well, and chicken house, trees and shrubs; a very desirable property. Price only \$2800, \$1800 cash and balance arranged. Store building 24x90, on the main street. Price \$1800 cash. Apply to W. L. Bucher, Vulcan. Oct3/23

FURNITURE—Several articles of House Furniture, in first class condition, to be disposed of by private sale. Articles may be seen at the home in Vulcan. Apply to Mrs. D. E. Geddes, Vulcan. Enquire at Post Office. Sep20/23

POTATOES—Good quality mostly Early Ohio Potatoes, excellent for table use. Orders solicited. Phone 8007, about 9 o'clock in the evening, or apply to P. C. Utt, Vulcan. Sep26/23

GRAMAPHONE—Columbia Mahogany Cabinet Gramophone, first class condition; also about three dozen selected records. Will sell at a bargain price. W. J. Wellington, Vulcan. Sep12/23

HOUSES—Two Houses in Vulcan, cheap for cash. Apply W. A. Howes, next to Club Billiard Hall. Sep5/23

LOST

FOUND—Stag hound, fairly shaggy hair, good average size, about two years old, dark brindle, white tip on tail and little white on each foot, answers to name of Pete. Reward for return of animal or information leading to recovery. J. L. Kehr, Vulcan. Phone 505. Oct10/23

Ladies' Fall and Winter Underwear

We are showing a large range of the Watson Brand of Underwear for Ladies and Children. You will find in the splendid range a garment suitable in style to your requirements, in Cotton, Cotton and Wool, Wool and Silk, and Pure Wool. Opera Top, V Neck, Short Sleeves and Long Sleeves. Prices ranging \$2.25 up. Children's Combinations \$1.50 up.

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HERE IS THE PLAN! WILL YOU DO YOUR BIT?

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It is estimated that if each farmer with ¼ section gives 2 bushels, with ½ section gives 5 bushels

THAT, with the cash donations from the towns and cities, the Alberta Division quota of \$55,000 will be reached easily. This plan has the endorsement and recommendation of

The Lieut.-Governor of the Province
The Committee of the Alberta Wheat Pool.
The Alberta Elevator Companies.

YOUR RED CROSS calls upon you again in the name of suffering humanity to give from your plenty for the benefit of those less fortunate. 82 per cent. of all monies collected will be spent on RED CROSS ACTIVITIES IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, such as rural hospitals, nursing service, etc. 18 per cent. will be Alberta's share for Japanese Disaster Relief.

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